

Bayes factors using pseudo priors

Bayes factors using the Carlin and Chib method. For full description see Page 47 of Classic BUGS examples Vol 2.

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model{
# standardise data
  for(i in 1:N)
    Ys[i] <- (Y[i] - mean(Y[])) / sd(Y[])
    xs[i] \leftarrow (x[i] - mean(x[])) / sd(x[])
    zs[i] \leftarrow (z[i] - mean(z[])) / sd(z[])
  }
# model node
  i ~ dcat(p[])
  p[1] <- 0.9995 p[2] <- 1 - p[1] # use for joint modelling
  \# p[1] <- 1 p[2] <- 0 \# include for estimating Model 1
  \# p[1] <- 0 p[2] <-1 \# include for estimating Model 2
  pM2 < -step(j - 1.5)
# model structure
  for(i in 1 : N){
    mu[1, i] <- alpha + beta * xs[i]
    mu[2, i] <- gamma + delta*zs[i]
    Ys[i] ~ dnorm(mu[i, i], tau[i])
  }
# Model 1
  alpha ~ dnorm(mu.alpha[j], tau.alpha[j])
  beta ~ dnorm(mu.beta[j], tau.beta[j])
  tau[1] ~ dgamma(r1[j], l1[j])
  # estimation priors
  mu.alpha[1]<- 0 tau.alpha[1] <- 1.0E-6
  mu.beta[1] <- 0 tau.beta[1] <- 1.0E-4
  r1[1]
           <- 0.0001 | I1[1] <- 0.0001
  # pseudo-priors
  mu.alpha[2]<- 0 tau.alpha[2] <- 256
  mu.beta[2] <- 1 tau.beta[2] <- 256
  r1[2]
        <- 30
                    11[2] <- 4.5
# Model 2
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Data (click to open)

Inits (click to open)

Results

 mean
 sd
 MC_error val2.5pc
 median
 val97.5pc
 start
 sample

 pM2
 0.623
 0.4846
 0.007682
 0.0
 1.0
 1.0
 1001
 10000

corresponding to a Bayes factor of $0.623 / 0.377 \times 0.9995 / 0.0005 = 3308$.